GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA

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IMPORT EXPORT WITH NEIGHBOURING COUNTRIES
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of items imported from neighbouring countries, particularly Pakistan during the last three years and till date;

(b) the details of items exported to neighbouring countries, particularly Pakistan during the last three threee years; and

(c) the amount involved, separately , year-wise, in import and export?

Answer

MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI MURASOLI MARAN)

(a)to(c) Details of India`s trade with the neighbouring countries, including Pakistan during the last three years and till date are given below:

	EXPORTS (In Rs. Crores)				IMPORTS(In Rs.Crores)			
COUNTRY	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	Apl-Dec`2000	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	Apl-Dec`2000
Afghanistan	80.73	78.96	54.11	52.76	10.84	39.77	143.98	70.18
Bangladesh	3084.80	2922.87	4168.03	1919.86	220.91	188.85	267.65	231.08
Bhutan	78.03	49.53	40.26	32.52	119.93	49.95	25.73	60.26
China	2182.54	2668.71	1724.38	1674.57	2687.03	4160.04	4458.52	3998.46
Maldives	36.80	32.46	32.58	24.07	0.61	0.89	0.19	0.81
Myanmar	160.46	183.26	217.58	116.94	629.04	832.53	687.43	572.68
Nepal	588.30	631.99	628.32	1329.02	227.45	353.64	597.24	451.20
Pakistan	558.12	532.02	466.00	273.38	128.36	165.19	891.85	219.03
Sri Lanka	1694.79	1818.23	1851.45	1597.39	160.33	112.26	164.00	154.76

Source : DGCI&S

Item-wise export and import figures for all the countries are given in the monthly publication, `Foreign Trade Statistics of India`, brought out by Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence & Statistics, Calcutta, which are available in the Parliament Library.